

CITY MATTERS.

Mr. W. H. Loughhead, of Xenia, is at the Arcade.

Mr. Rob Houston was in South Charleston yesterday.

Wheat is slowly crawling up to a dollar in New York.

Mr. M. A. Hayward arrived from Kansas City Thursday.

Mr. W. H. Rowe, of the South Charleston Sentinel, is in town to-day.

Mr. Jonas Fox, of Richmond, Indiana, is the guest of Mr. M. Regeinstein.

Mr. Chas. E. Winters' two children, Charlie and Mable, are very low with scarlet fever.

Mr. Isaac Morris is visiting his parents in Baltimore, and will be gone about four weeks.

Florida oranges that have been received here this season have an unusually fine flavor.

Mr. G. R. Baker, of Yellow Springs, was in the city to-day, the guest of his friend Mr. Robert Richter.

The present open weather is doing no harm to the wheat, as the frost is not sufficiently severe to affect it.

Such work as is done on our business streets Friday mornings should be done on all other but Sunday mornings.

The new Panhandle station is to be erected "next spring," as usual. It will be a handsome and convenient structure when it is built.

Florida times and guavas find their way here, occasionally. The times made good "lime"-ade. For the guavas a taste has to be cultivated.

Married.

On the evening of the 9th, at the residence of the bride, on Clifton street, by Rev. R. J. Poston, Mr. W. Joslin and Miss Sarah C. Smith.

Dull times are when advertisers of shrewdness, experience and nerve can spread out their business announcements to the best advantage. The earliest and liveliest "birds" will catch the "worms."

Mrs. Nicholas Dresher, a well known and highly respected lady, a resident of Pike township, died yesterday afternoon at one o'clock at her residence. Deceased was aged about 65 years. The funeral will take place Sunday.

Capt. Sam. T. Jack, formerly of this city, was Tuesday night last, installed as Commander of James A. Garfield Post, No. 2, Department of Kentucky, G. A. R., located at Covington. Sam. can do one thing to perfection—tell soldier and camp yarns.

Several fine building improvements are already in progress in various parts of the city, in this first month of the new year; and, if hundreds of new houses are not erected here before the first day of next year, we shall be much mistaken. The town isn't finished.

Rev. A. L. Reynolds, agent of Adrian College, Adrian, Mich., will preach in the Methodist Protestant Church, on Pleasant street, next Sabbath morning and evening. Mr. Reynolds is one of the most gifted young men of that denomination, and is favorably known in this city.

Mr. Ad. Bakhaus, whose departure for Chicago caused such gloom, is back here the early part of the week, and back the sunshine and gladness. He is highly pleased with his trip, and the mere thought of the amount of drugs and medicines used in that city sets him perfectly wild with delight.

Some of our solid business men and their clerks are getting in practice for the gardening season. Their hours were at work in the street mud at an early hour this morning, and the heaps of richness that now adorn the streets are enough to bring water to the mouth of the man who itches to become a landed proprietor.

Mr. Had. Thomas left for Colorado to-day, taking with him his eldest sister, Miss V. Lucile Thomas. Six months ago he took with him to the same country his youngest sister, Josie, who was then in delicate health. Now she is robust and hearty, having gained twenty pounds, and does not want to come back to Ohio again.

Ass P. Burdell, only son of Mr. and Mrs. George Burdell, died January 7th, aged 5 years, 6 months and 3 days. The funeral services were held at the house, No. 341 South Market street, this morning. Mr. Burdell is the master mechanic at the Ohio Southern railroad shops at Jackson, and has the deep sympathy of all in his affliction.

An American eagle meaning seven feet from tip to tip was killed last evening about four miles north of this city. John Lutz, a boy about twelve years old, found the bird on the ground, having been wounded in some way, and after a long fight, finally succeeded in dispatching the noble bird with a club. It was brought to town this morning and attracted considerable attention.

A funny incident occurred here doing the session of the college presidents and professors. One of them appeared at the door of the old bar-room in the Arcade Hotel; and while trying to get in—to find the bar-keeper—was told by a courteous and obliging lad that the bar-room was further on to the left. The gentleman quietly remarked that he was not trying to find the bar.

Reward for Horse Thieves.

Farmers in several parts of this and adjoining counties are considerably excited over the operations of a gang of horse thieves, who scarcely allow a night to pass without getting in their work, as the local press of late has furnished evidence. An effort is being made to run the gang down, and at the earnest desire of citizens of the county the County Commissioners have adopted the following resolution, offering a reward:

Resolved, That Clark county will pay a reward of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) for the apprehension and conviction of any person charged with or engaged in horse-stealing in said county, provided that in no case shall the owner of the stolen horse or horses receive any portion of said reward.

ALLEGED MALPRACTICE.

A Practitioner on the "Hoodoo" Plan Called Upon to Explain Himself—Sued Entered for \$300 Damages.

Suit for civil damages in \$300 for alleged malpractice in treatment of a case of cancer of the breast, was brought in Squire Rightmeyer's court this morning by Geo. C. Rawlins and E. S. Wallace, against one "E. A. McArthur, M. D. etc."—as his professional card has it—on behalf of Mrs. Lydia Cress, keeper of a boarding-house on Center street, and the case was set for hearing in Magistrate's court next Monday afternoon at three o'clock. If the defendant appears in answer to the Court's summons, it is anticipated that something will be heard of a particularly interesting character.

"Doctor" McArthur located among us, at No. 195 South Factory street, the best portion of a year ago, practicing, as a specialist, his patients being largely of the gentler sex. His personal appearance, methods of advertising himself, and effecting cures, if any are effected by him, are peculiar and some of them not according to the established, recognized "school" of medicine. A person, patient or other visitor, entering his manum would find the usual appearances and fixtures, and upon either corner of the table in the consultation room little piles of circulars or business cards, the latter cheaply printed upon pink paper and reading: "Mission office, 195 S. Factory st. E. A. McArthur, M. D., etc., surgeon, physician, obstetrician and missionary in charge," and in form of a lounge, on the reverse: "Dr. McArthur, from Scotland. Treats all sorts of diseases especially chronic diseases. Office." The circulars read as follows:

Dr. Edwin A. McArthur's Rules.

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2. Every patient must pay his fee before being treated.
3. A patient not being able to pay down the whole amount of fee, may pay one half, or a reasonable part of it, and give security for the balance, payable so much per week.

4. Every patient is required to follow the directions of the Doctor as to the taking of medicine, diet and exercise—and to avoid the influence and advice of ignorant persons, for his own good.

Good business principles, no doubt, from which a pointer or two might be gained by some of our merchants whose overgrown profit and loss accounts testify of their misplaced confidence in certain of their fellow-men. The doctor lives up to them rigidly, too. Hence this suit. The facts in the case are stated to be that plaintiff entered into an agreement with the "missionary in charge" to cure her of a cancer for the sum of \$50, of which \$10 was to be paid down and the balance in weekly payments of \$2.50. When \$17.50 in all had been paid the "missionary" refused further treatment unless the balance of the \$50 was advanced in a lump, or security given, to which the lady demurred, and upon his refusal, to refund the sum already paid, she sought counsel with this result so far.

It is said further that the lady has now consulted a city physician of long standing, who decides that a month's time will be required to put her into condition, after treatment received, for the operation which alone can effect a cure. It is said, further, numerous similar instances might be given, and one is mentioned of a lady who paid \$50 down and was treated for rheumatism without benefit. And of another who was scared by violent actions into advancing the money, went home, threw the medicine given her into the fire, and never went near the "mission office" again, and so on. The doctor claims to be of Spanish extraction and Scotch birth, and to have practiced in many of the larger cities of the world, coming here from Detroit. He is a large man, of impressive manner and suave address, but who can, on occasions, get on his professional ear, as one of the attorneys discovered, when he interviewed the doctor on behalf of his client. One peculiarity is that he always wears his hat, which, when removed shows his close-cropped capillary covering to be curly; some say crinkly. His countenance is swarthy, but otherwise he is much like other men. Whatever his standing as a practitioner, whether empirical or not, the man is certainly a character in his line and one about whom the public may be interested in learning more. It is said that part of his treatment in certain cases of cancer, consists in motions and passes of the hands over the patient. The examination Monday will no doubt bring out much interesting information.

The case of John Arnett against Joe Sheets for money claimed to have been promised by Sheets to Arnett, on condition that Arnett would divulge the whereabouts of Pension Agent Charles H. Berry, came up in Squire Rightmeyer's court to-day, but was continued until next Tuesday.

Mary Canney, the girl whose throat was cut, by herself or somebody else, a few days since, became a mother, at the Infirmary early this morning.

Deputy Sheriff A. J. Baker took Ingersoll the Tremont City lunatic, to the Dayton asylum this afternoon.

AMUSEMENTS.

Mr. Wm. Summers, of the I. B. & W., was suddenly called to Xenia to-day by the death of his only brother, Mr. Oscar Summers.

J. W. Condon, the man who was burned in the woods, not long since, had his arm amputated, this afternoon, at the Infirmary, by Dr. Morrison.

Tom Clayton, the popular Ohio Southern engineer, has lost the sight of the eye injured at Jackson a week or two since by falling upon an oil-can while oiling his locomotive. He has the sympathy of many friends.

S. ven-day Adventist's place of meeting is on the third floor in Roth's Building, 47 West Main street. Meetings are held every Saturday at 10 a. m., and Sunday at 7 p. m. The subject for to-morrow evening will be: "God's plan of supporting the Ministry."

Amusements.

Of the Howard Athenaeum Specialty Company, who will appear at the Grand to-morrow afternoon and evening, the Indianapolis Sentinel says: The Howard Athenaeum Specialty Company opened their engagement at English's last night, and to say the least the show "caught on." Hamlin and Keefe in eccentric songs and dances were very clever, Miss May Maccaffie sings and dances very nicely, Harrington and Johnson are very versatile comedians, and E. H. Doyle, the dancer, is the best ever seen in this city. Fields and Hansen are a well known musical team, and have been seen here quite frequently. Miss Lizzie Simms, the famous dancer, in her new divertissement, made one of the hits of the evening, and the two Macs are the best performers ever seen here on the specialty stage for acrobatic, mirth-provoking fun. The entertainment was concluded by Mr. William Carroll in an afterpiece entitled "Bad Boy." This show, as a whole, is one of the best high-class vaudeville companies, and is superior to anything that Pastor has brought here. The performance will be repeated to-morrow, with the usual matinee.

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DIVORCE NOTICE.

ELLA ROACH, Plaintiff, vs. Court Common Pleas, Clark County, Ohio.

JOSEPH ROACH, Defendant.

THE above named defendant, Joseph Roach, did on the 17th day of May, 1884, file his petition in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas within and for the County of Clark, State of Ohio, charging the said Joseph Roach with extreme cruelty on or about the 1st day of January, A. D. 1884, and praying that she may be divorced from the said Joseph Roach, which petition will stand for hearing after six weeks from this date.

By E. S. WALLACE, her Attorney, January 8th, 1885.

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